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CASUALTY MESSAGE

E.O. 11652: NA
TAGS: CDES PP
SUBJ: CASUALTY MESSAGE

TO: MS. MAE BOTHWELL
110 BANNISTER ST.
HARTFORD, CONNECTICUTT

1. YOU WILL HAVE HEARD BY NOW FROM BURNS PHILP. LTD. THE SAD NEWS OF THE DEATH OF YOUR BROTHER MAURICE LESHAY IN LAE, PAPUA NEW GUINEA ON DECEMBER 17,1977. MR. JOHN ELMER INFORMED THE AMERICAN EMBASSY IN PORT MORESBY ON JANUARY 5 OF HIS DEATH DUE TO CANCER IN LAE HOSPITAL.

2. I UNDERSTAND THAT YOUR BROTHER WAS LAID TO REST IN LAE AFTER A CATHOLIC SERVICE ATTENDED BY HIS FRIENDS.

3. MR. ELMER HAS INFORMED ME THAT YOU AND HE HAVE BEEN NAMED AS JOINT EXECUTORS OF YOUR BROTHER'S WILL AND THAT HE WILL BE WRITING TO YOU SHORTLY CONCERNING THE ESTATE. SHOULD YOU WISH TO CONTACT HIM PRIOR TO RECEIPT OF HIS LETTER, HE CAN REACHED AT: MR. JOHN ELMER, BURNS PILIP PTY. LTD., P.O. BOX 75, PORT MORESBY, PNG. PH 214730.

4. UPON COMPLETION OF ALL FORMALITIES, A FOREIGN SERVICE REPORT
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OF DEATH PREPARED BY THIS EMBASSY WILL BE FORWARDED TO YOU.

5. IF THE EMBASSY CAN BE OF ANY ASSISTANCE TO YOU IN SETTLING YOUR BROTHER'S AFFAIRS, PLEASE WRITE TO CONSULAR OFFICER, PORT MORESBY, DEPT OF STATE, WASHINGTON, D.C 20520.

6. BE ASSURED OF MY DEEPEST SYMPATHY IN YOUR BEREAVEMENT.

RUSSEL E. OLSON
CHARGE D'AFFAIRS A.I.
AMERICAN EMBASSY
PORT MORESBY, PNT.
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